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Docket No.:  
**2852-C**

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**TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
BOX PATENT APPLICATION  
Washington, D.C. 20231**

Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111(a) and 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) is a new utility patent application for an invention entitled:

**ISOLATED DNA MOLECULE ENCODING RANK LIGAND (AS AMENDED)**

and invented by:

**Dirk M. Anderson, residing at Seattle, Washington 98107 and Laurent J. Galibert, residing at Seattle, Washington 98115.**

If a **CONTINUING APPLICATION**, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:

☐ Continuation      ☒ Divisional      ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP)

of prior application No.: 08/995,659

Enclosed are:

**Application Elements**

1. ☒ Filing fee as calculated and transmitted as described below
2. ☒ Specification including claims and abstract ( 74 pages total)
3. ☒ Drawing(s); Number of Sheets 6
4. ☐ Oath or Declaration
  - a. ☐ Newly executed
  - b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37.C.F.R. 1.63(d)) (for continuation/divisional application only)
  - c. ☐ With Power of Attorney      ☒ Without Power of Attorney
  - d. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in prior application, see 37 C.F.R. 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
5. ☐ Incorporation by Reference (usable if Box 4b is checked)  
The entire disclosure of the prior application from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
6. ☐ Computer Program in Microfiche (Appendix)
7. ☒ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
  - a. ☒ Paper copy
    - ☒ Pages 37 - 68 of specification
    - ☐ Separately numbered pages \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. ☐ Computer Readable Copy
  - c. ☐ Statement Verifying Identical Paper and Computer Readable Copy
  - d. ☒ Statement under 37 C.F.R. 1.821(e) in lieu of Computer Readable Copy



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**Accompanying Application Parts**

8. ☐ Assignment
- a. ☐ Executed original Assignment and Recordation Form enclosed
- b. ☐ Prior application is assigned of record to Immunex Corporation  
(reel \_\_\_\_\_ frame \_\_\_\_\_)
9. ☐ 37 C.F.R. 3.73(B) Statement (*when there is an assignee*)
10. ☒ Preliminary Amendment
11. ☒ Acknowledgment postcard
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13. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (*if foreign priority is claimed*)
14. ☐ Additional Enclosures (*please identify below*):

**Fee Calculation and Transmittal**

CLAIMS AS FILED (after any Preliminary Amendment submitted herewith)					
For	# Filed	# Allowed	# Extra	Rate	Fee
Total Claims	32	- 20 =	12	x \$18.00	\$216.00
Indep. Claims	4	- 3 =	1	x \$80.00	\$80.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					\$0.00
<b>BASIC FEE</b>					<b>\$710.00</b>
OTHER FEE ( <i>specify purpose</i> )					\$ .00
<b>TOTAL FILING FEE</b>					<b>\$1,006.00</b>

- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. 09-0089 as described below. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ Charge the amount of \$1,006.00 as a filing fee.
- ☒ Credit any overpayment.
- ☒ Charge any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17.

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Utility Patent Application Transmittal (+ copy)  
Preliminary Amendment  
Specification, claims and abstract (74 pages) (copy of original)  
Drawings (6 sheets, Figures 1-5) (copy of original)  
Sequence Statement Under 37 C.F.R. §1.821(e)  
Paper Copy of Sequence Listing (pages 37-68 of specification)

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Date:

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